

Boosters meetings are monthly on Tuesdays at 7pm in the Media Center.



August 13 September 10 October 8 November 12 December 10 January 14 February 11 March 10 April 14 May 12

We support the students, staff and community! Join us, join the fun!

Your April 2020 Boosters Newsletter

Next meeting: TBD

While we don't know exactly what the future holds, we do know we will one day be able to come together as a community again. Let's all hold tight to that thought and look to the future with hope and optimism. Find ways to support each other keep the Conant Cougar spirit alive and well!

(Photo by Ron Smith on Unsplash)



Yearly the Boosters Support:

- Freshman night
- Event hospitality
- Cougars in Need
- Scholarships
- Post Prom
- Mini grants for athletics/activities/academics

Boosters Projects Include:

- Raising \$ for new marquee
- Spirit windscreens for stadium
- Recycling bins for school-wide program
- New sports banners in the gym
- 635 gallon fish tank for the media center

President's Letter

2019-2020 Parent Volunteer Board

Hello Conant Community,

Elizabeth Paveza President What can I possibly say at this point? Change has been coming at us daily and from every avenue. We are changing our daily routines, the way our children learn, and the way we interact with each other in life. Maybe this will result in a re-focus on self-care and time with loved ones. Maybe we will see each other as more interconnected than we ever have in the past. Maybe we will become better. I am hopeful there will be a learned lesson at the end of all this change.

We have had to make some changes at Conant Boosters also. Unfortunately, we will be canceling some events and we are on a wait and see with others. We will do our best to keep you updated as decisions are made. Please read through as details about specific events can be found throughout this newsletter.

Thinking of you all! Stay safe and healthy!

Elizabeth Paveza Conant Boosters President



Buy Your Conant Graduate Yard Signs!

This year it may be more important than ever to find special touches to make your senior feel special! We have Class of 2020 signs available for purchase through our <u>website</u> on the Spirit Store tab. \$20 each. You can also contact <u>Julie Henry</u> for contact free pick up. Buy yours today!

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POST PROM



Do you want to be on the 2020-2021 Executive Board?

We're looking for parents who would like to help run the Conant Boosters next year. Please get in contact with Liz Paveza if you're interested in nominating someone, or yourself! Executive Board positions include:

President Vice President Recording Secretary Treasurer Corresponding Secretary

The Nominating Committee will be creating a slate of their suggested officers before our April 14 meeting.

We also are looking for various committee chairs and new volunteers. Contact *Liz Paveza* for more info.



Donate to Cougars in Need During This Time

If you're looking for a way to help the Conant Community during this pandemic, please remember you can donate to Cougars in Need through the Conant Boosters. This makes it a tax deductible donation too. Go to our <u>website</u>, and scroll down toward the bottom of the Membership tab to the Make a Difference, Donate button. Please let <u>Paula</u> Waterman know to direct the donation to Cougars in Need.

If you'd like to send a check to the school, make it out to Conant Boosters and put Cougars in Need on the subject line.

This is a great way to help families in critical need during this time.

Adrienne Bolbot

SCHOLARSHIPS Kelly O'Hara

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Julie Henry
Paula Waterman

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Volunteer Sign Ups - It's easy!

We are using the web service "Sign Ups" for a variety of our volunteer needs. Check out the Volunteer Tab on our website to see current needs. Below are some "Sign Ups" ready to use:

Mattress Fundraiser

Spirit Store

Honors Convocation

Post Prom 2020

Thank you in advance for your help!



Upcoming Canceled or Postponed Events

Mattress Fundraiser - postponed until next school year

Prom Fair - canceled

Spring Gift Card Fundraiser - canceled

Post Prom - TBD



Support Conant with Online Shopping

Are you hitting online shopping now more than ever?

Be sure to make "Conants Cougar Booster Club, Inc" your Amazon Smile charity. We'll get rewarded each time you shop.

Thanks for your support!

Spotlight on Water Polo

Both boys' and girls' teams play in the spring and both Conant teams had a promising season ahead of them.

Let's take a look at the great history the Conant program has had up to this point.

Coach Bickus leads the girls and was excited to tell us the Varsity team is the 3-time defending MSL champion AND they haven't lost to an MSL opponent in two years! 5 seniors returned to lead the team this year: Sydney Arnold, Abigail Hanley, Sam Erne, Ishika Patel and Grace Rabe.

Coach Daniel is equally proud of the boys past performance. In 2018 they were the first MSL team to take home a state trophy and in 2019 they followed up with sectional and conference wins! Five seniors were also leading the boys' team: Spencer Urban, Aaron Nagorzanski, Konrad Sak, Sam Gosche and Alex Graczyk.

Best wishes for the graduating seniors and all returning players going forward!

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